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## DEAN JEWELL GIVES TALK

### CHAMBERS HEARS EDUCATION DEAN

Visitor to Teacher's Institute Gives Definition of Educated Man—Teachers Attend Forum Lunch

An address, delivered by Dean Jewell, of the department of vocational education of O. A. C. at the Tuesday forum of the chamber of commerce at the Waukoma hotel Tuesday was packed with witticisms and sold discourse as well. Dean Jewell, who recently came to Oregon from the University of Arkansas, gained the interest of his hearers by reciting a little poem in refutation of the statement that figures never lie. He then gave some federal statistics on American expenditures.

"Last year," said Dean Jewell, "we learn that Americans spent \$27 per capita on gasoline, \$5 for jewelry and eight cents for the salaries of college professors."

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All of the teachers of the county, in the city this week for the annual county teacher's institute, were at the luncheon. Out of town visitors introduced by Mr. Critch were: Dean Jewell, Miss Edna Mings, Oregon Normal school; Mrs. Fulkerson, superintendent of schools in Marion county; Miss Helen A. Cowgill, O. A. C.; Secretary Carlson, of the Oregon State Teacher's Association.

L. A. Bennett presided at the meeting. He announced that the luncheon was the first held since Mr. and Mrs. Guy Painter had taken over the Waukoma dining room. Mr. Bennett voiced a praise for the new service in the new school; the new chef of the Waukoma is Will Tomkins, an experienced preparer of foods who recently arrived from Portland.

A. B. MacKenzie, member of the flying school faculty, who will remain in Portland, is en route from the east, where he made a study of various types of airplanes. He chose as the most appropriate kind for use in a school of instruction the American Eagle. The flying school will also have the agency for the American Eagle for Oregon and Washington.

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Hard Times old fashioned dance at Rockford, Saturday, Nov. 26. Gravenstein. Fifty cents. Good time assured.

## TODAY WILL CELEBRATION TO CELEBRATE

### Hood River Folk to Attend Services—Anniversary Ball Tonight

It will be a quiet day in Hood River today. The celebration of Thanksgiving of 1927 will center for the most part around the home fireside. Numerous families today will hold reunion. Married children from other parts of the state and their very little ones will come or have already come trooping in train, motor stage or private car, and experiences of the past year will be related today around the home fireside.

## GOVERNOR ISSUES A PROCLAMATION

Today has been proclaimed Thanksgiving for the year 1927 by Governor Patterson. His proclamation follows:

At this season of the year, it is an American custom to devote a day to the giving of thanks to the Almighty for His bounties; to commemorate the first season of prosperity and plenty.

On this day it is fitting and proper that we review the manifold blessings of the year just past; that we offer true expressions of gratitude for peace and prosperity.

That this nation has been preserved through wars and strife, that it has developed in all the arts and sciences as well as in husbandry and commerce, that it has known no year of universal pestilence or famine, should be constant sources of joy to our people; we should be ever cognizant of our good fortune and pay homage to those first comers who so bravely founded and carefully built the structures of our national life. That we today stand a leader among nations, supreme in the ways of modern civilization, is a tribute to those Pilgrim Fathers, whose first Thanksgiving gives us inspiration today.

To help preserve the ideals of American simplicity and virtue and Christianity, the President of these United States has proclaimed that a day be set aside for the observance of Thanksgiving, and in conformity thereto, and by the authority in me vested, I, I. I. Peterson, governor of the state of Oregon, do hereby proclaim and designate Thursday, November 24, 1927 as Thanksgiving in the state of Oregon. It shall be a public holiday. I earnestly ask the citizens of this great state to join together to observe in proper manner the season of Harvest, of Peace and Good Will, that we turn our thoughts to the Almighty Father who in His graciousness has given us amply of His bounties, and that we display the American flag as evidence of our patriotic devotion to the founders of our nation.

## G. L. AGGERS, OF WHITE SALMON, 80

Members of Canby Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and their wives motored to White Salmon, Wash., Tuesday to join the post's commander, G. L. Aggers, in celebrating his 80th birthday anniversary. A birthday dinner was served at Overlook farm, the Aggers home, on the bluffs of the Columbia overlooking this city.

The following were present for the birthday party: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blythe, C. C. Cortwright, Mr. and Mrs. S. Copple, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson, Sanford Smith, Judge and Mrs. Geo. R. Castner, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hartness and Leslie Butler, of Hood River; and Misses Doris and Maude Aggers, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jewett, Mrs. F. A. Webster and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Underwood, of White Salmon.

Mr. Underwood, a Civil War veteran, was initiated into Canby Post.

The combined ages of those at the birthday party reached 1450 years.

## BLAST BLOCKS THE NORTH BANK LINE

A 90-ton blast of dynamite fired by a highway contractor Tuesday on the North Bank highway, about 25 miles east of Vancouver, Wash., pushed 700 feet of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway into the Columbia river and buried the roadbed under 6000 cubic yards of rock.

W. F. Turner, president of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway, immediately made arrangements with the Union Pacific for detouring all North Bank trains over Union Pacific tracks between Portland and Celilo, where they will cross the Oregon Trunk bridge to connect with the North Bank line.

The blast was discharged above the Cape Horn railway tunnel where the Washington state highway commission is constructing a new highway.

The telegraph lines were carried out at the same time, but in anticipation of damage to the wires, the railway had linemen on the scene who promptly restored communication.

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## 1621 and 1927

As we join in the home-comings and feasting of this season, we can give thanks that the understanding established between the friendly Indians and the Puritans more than three centuries ago is duplicated in the trust and confidence between men of all sections, occupations and positions today. Every one has something for which to be thankful. So the day of turkey and cranberry sauce, of pumpkin pie and luscious fruits is a welcome festival. As we review the record of the year past—we know that growing accounts are cause for thanksgiving by many customers. If you're not one of those who gained—make a fresh start now! We're here to help.

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